SATURDAY January 3, 1874. LOCAL NEWS.

Amusements, &c., To-night. National Theater .- " Led Astray." Ford's Opera House..." Uncle Sam" and "Jocko, the Brazilian Ape." Theater Comique. The drama of "The Smug-glers of the Abbey," and other attractions.

Fair and festival, Israel M. E. Church, Armory building, South Washington. Orchestrion music at No. 468 Pennsylvania

Condensed Locals. The sum of \$179,545.89 was realized from licenses in the District during the past year.

Hands in the Washington navy-yard are at work upon the Shawmut and the new sloop-of-war Neipsic.

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The members of Hibernian Benevolent Society, No. 1, are making extensive preparations for their grand ball at Masonic Hall on Monday might. The Marine Band, with Prof. Schneider

might. The Marine Band, with Prof. Schneider as leader, will farnish the music.

The Emerson Club were entertained at the house of Hon. Montgomery Biair last night, when they sang some of their best selections.

Prof. L. Kley, leader of the Washington Sannian Company of the Prof. Leader of the Parallel of A handgerbund, was last night the recipient of a hand-some silver snuff-box from his friends.

Last evening the members of Union Chapel choir inaugurated the New Year by holding a very pleasant sociable. A feature of the occasion was the presentation of fifty packages of groceries to Mr. L. C. Oliver, the sexton.

The fine house of Mr. Charles T. Smith, No.

1203 N street, anjoining the residence of Judge MacArthur, was entered a few nights ago by a thief, who carried off the keys of every door in the house, and the silver-plated cocks in th

bath room.

At the pigeon match arranged to take place next Tuesday at Riley's corral, two Remington double-barrel shot-guns are the prizes to be contended for. The tie resulting from the match on the 29th ult., at Analostan Island, between Messrs. Derrick and Mills, will also be shot off.

The Lutheran church on 1st street east, between C and D street each.

tween C and D streets south, was the scene last evening of a complimentary New Year's enter-tainment. The principal parts were taken by Robbie and Marion Ogilvie, Harry Spofford, and Miss Hester. and Miss Hester.

Yesterday the tug-boat Cyclops, which was sent here from New York some eight days ago to tow the monitor Montauk to that city, and

to tow the monitor Montauk to that city, and which ran aground at the forks of the channel of the Eastern Branch, floated off at high tide and started for New York.

The track laying on the East Alexandria railroad has been completed nearly to Uniontown, across the Eastern Branch, a fine bridge having been thrown over the track of the B. & P. R. R. at that point, and work on the line is rapidly progressing in the direction of the river, oppos-

R. at that point, and work on the line is rapidly progressing in the direction of the river, opposite Alexandria.

The oyster shuckers of Alexandria, who struck in consequence of the introduction by the packers of "strainers," by the use of which the oysters are measured without the liquor, have all gone to work again.

"A Happy Thought! Book it!" Go to-night to the National and improve the last opportunity to see Boucicault's drama of "Led Astray." so admirably brought out by the National company, and with charming May Saville as the pany, and with charming May Saville as the The Caroline Richings-Bernard's "Oldde

Folkes' concerts are spoken of by the press of other cities in warm terms as of the most deother cities in warm terms as of the most de-lightful and interesting description imaginable. The Sunday Morning Gazette will to-morrow make its initial number for the new year, unu-sually attractive. Mr. S. A. Safford, jr., late business manager of the Capital, is now asso-ciated in the business interests of the Sunday Morning Gazette—a valuable acquisition.

THE THEATERS .- If there are any readers of THE THEATERS.—If there are any readers of THE STAR who have not yet seen the interesting play "Led Astray" at the National Theater this week, they should avail themselves of the last chance to night, for it is seldom Washington play-goers have an opportunity of seeing a more excellent dramatic performance. On Monday night the Kellogg opera troupe give their first performance, appearing in Lucia di Lammermoor with a posterial cast. Those who wish good seat- had better secure them at once.

To-night is the last chance of the little ones to To-night is the last chance of the little ones to

see the pantomime at Ford's Opera House, and the theater should be crowded. To say nothing of the merits of the Ravel-Martinetti family the performance of Prof. Davies, the celebrated the performance of Prof. Davies, the celebrated ventriloquist, is alone worth the price of admission. On Monday the great tragedienne, Mme. Janauschek, will appear in "Chesney Wold," dramatized from Dickers' "Bleak House," in which she appears as "Lady Dedlock" and as "Hosters".

The Theater Comique closes its New Year's programme to-night with a grand performance of drama, burlesque, music and dancing, and announces the appearance on Monday next of Mr. E. B. Stetson in his exciting drama "Neck for Neck," with the starting hardeness. Mr. E. B. Stetson in his exciting drama "Neck for Neck," with the startling hanging scene, &c.

THE CEMETERIES AND THE HEALTH OF THE CITY.—The Board of Health met last night, and the Health Officer, Dr. Keane, reported that the frame shanty corner of 6th street and Virginia avenue southeast is a nuisance, and submitted a resolution for its abatement, which was adopted. The report of the Coroner (Dr. Patterson) for the past month was submitted, showing that he held II inquests. A communication was received from S. L. Loomis relating to Holmand's account from S. L. Loomis relating cation was received from S. L. Loomis relating to Holmead's cemetery, stating that it is understood that the Board had declared it a nuisance and yet new graves appear there every week. He calls attention to the fact that among the dead there interred is the celebrated Lorenzo Dow. Also, a communication from the same party in reference to cemeteries, in which he states that the water off the Congressional burial ground passes directly into the Potomac, while that from St. Patrick, Mount Olivet and Glenwood, after saturating the soil, passes directly through the heart of the city, not reaching the river until after passing the foot of the Capitol. Graceland cemetery being situated directly on the Boundary throws the water into the city. Both communications were referred to the sanitary committee.

itary committee. THE SCOTT MONUMENT.—Many of our citizens have noticed on the open ground at 12th and Spring Garden street, the model of an equestrian statue of Gen. Winfield Scott. This statue, cast in bronze by Robert Wood & Co., for the public grounds at Washington, will require a firm foundation to support its immense weight, and the block of granite furnished by the Cape Ann granite company of Massachusetts, for the platform, when quarried, weighed over 150 tons, but when dressed weighed 11s tons. The block for the sub-base was larger when quarried than the dressed platform stone. when quarried than the dressed platform stone and weighed, when dressed, eighty-four tons.— Phila. Ledger.

the Dominican order, took place at St. Dominic's church yesterday morning. Solemn requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Power, assisted by Fathers, Coll and Fortune. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Father Boyle, who spoke in feeling terms of the deceased, whom he knew for a score of years. The remains were interred at Mount Olivet, and were followed to the grave by a number of sisters of the different orders and numerous

Election of Officers.—At the meeting of Liberty Lodge, No. 6, K. of P., held last might, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term, viz. John H. Thompson, S. P. C., Charles F. Miller, C. C.; Robert Adams, V. C.; John R. Zimmermann, P.; Dr. A. E. Johnson, K. of R. and R.; Col. James A. Tait, M. of E.; George Fordham, M. of F.; George Ryall, M. of A.; Arthur Schatz, I. G. Representatives to Grand Lodge: Past Chancelors W. H. Andrews, George Fordham, Thomas B. Marche, James A. Tait and A. E. Johnson.

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZIEMENT.—Detective McDevitt, of Washington, yesterday brought over to Baitimore a man named P. McCall, who had been arrested in the former city charged with embezziing and appropriating to his own use the proceeds of the sale of a looking-glass, a clock and two pictures, amounting to \$36.50, belonging to Geo. W. Metcalf, while acting as an agent. McCall was arraigned before Justice Wheeler, and was committed for the action of the grand jury.—Baitimore Sun, 3d.

Washington Business College.—The fine faces and pleasing deportment of the large

washington busings of college.—The fine faces and pleasing deportment of the large number of students at this institution attracted the favorable attention of the hosts of friends of the college who attended the entertainments given by these young people during the holidays. The regular morning and evening sessions will be resumed Monday. Jan. 5th. The year or quarter for each student dates from entrance.

MR. E. L. Ives, so long and favorably known in Washington as a merchant tailor, has purchased the stock, &c., of the late Evan Hughes, and will continue the old stand, No. 415 13th street northwest. Mr. Ives will be happy to see at his new place all his old customers, as well as those of Mr. Hughes, with new ones addition. His name is a guarantee of satisfaction.

REAL ESTATE SALES.—Messrs. Latimer & Cleary, auctioneers, have sold lots 31 and 32, in Langdon's subdivision of square 983, with improvements, to Juan Boyle, for \$625 each. Also, a two-story brick dwelling on 4% street, near E, southwest, to Edmund Slattery, for \$1,100.

THE ALARM OF FIRE from box 58, about nine o'clock this morning, was caused by fire getting between the roof and ceiling of the back kitchen of house No. 1015 New York avenue, occupied by Mrs. Commodore Budd. It was extinguished with slight damage.

BUILDING ASSOCIATION .- At the 79th meeting of the National Union Building Association No. 1, last night, three shares were redeemed at \$51 each. WASHINGTON STOCK EXCHANGE. Rules for its Government.

Rules for its Government.

The Washington Stock Exchange is now fully organized and in working condition. The rules for the government of the Exchange are now being printed. The constitution, after prescribing the name of the organization, sets forth who shall be the officers, and prescribes their duties. The business of the Exchange will, in the main, be managed by a governing committee consisting of nine members, including the officers. In all matters of business the decision of this committee shall be final, except in cases involving a difference of \$500, when an appeal to the Exchange is allowed. The requisites for membership to the Exchange are that the applicant must be twenty-one years of age, and be a banker, broker, or known dealer in stocks in the District. Members in good standing of the New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia, or Boston boards are eligible. When a member dies his seat may be sold by the secretary, and after satisfying the claims of the members of the Exchange, the balance shall be paid to his legal representatives. The initiation fee is now \$250, and after February 1, \$500. Those admitted by purchase, \$190.

The rates of commission to be charged by members of the Exchange shall be as agreed upon, but not less than one-quarter of one per cent, on the par value of all stocks, bonds, and other securities, excepting United States securities and gold, on which the commission may be

cent. on the par value of all stocks, bonds, and other securities, excepting United States securities and gold, on which the co mmission may be one-eighth of one per cent., and on stocks selling at five dollars or under per share, which may be dealt in at six cents per share, which may be dealt in at three cents per share. Members thay transact business for charitable objects without charge. Members who are also connected with the stock board of any other city, must be governed in all transactions made in Washington by the rates of commission established by this Exchange. These rates apply also to all transactions made in the Washington to market for members of this Exchange who are also connected with the board of any other city.

No fictitious sales shall be made. Any member contravening, shall upon conviction, be exparty delivering shall have the right to require the purchase money to be paid at the time and place of delivery.

All debts, without distinction, are binding

upon the members of the Exchange, and the Governing Committee will take cognizance of then upon complaints properly made and pre-Any member guilty of obvious frau 1, of which the governing committee shall be, the judge, shall be expelled on a two-thirds vote of the

committee.
On all public holidays on which the banks are closed the Exchange will not hold sessions.

The by-laws provide that the Exchange shall hold three meetings a week—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays—but when a public holiday fails on either, the session shall be held the day before

The record of sales at the regular sessions shall be closed immediately on the adjournment of the Exchange. A separate book shall be provided to record sales made in the Exchange room when the Exchange is not in session. Sales between members made out of the Exchange room may be recorded in this book. change room may be recorded in this book, unless objected to by a majority of the members present. The record of sales in this book is not binding unless confirmed by written contract. In all time sales it shall be the duty of the seller to furnish the contract. The funds of the Ex-change are derived from the fees of admission of new members, from interest and dividends on investments, from such assessments as have been, and may be, required from the Exchange, and from fines for transgressions of the rules. In case the revenue from the above source shall

In case the revenue from the above source shall prove insufficient during any one year, there shall be a general assessment of the members to supply the deficiency.

Any member calling a stock is entitled to the market on that particular stock, on the terms and time first proposed by him, if he makes a prompt bid or offer, or both, although in the first moment he may have been anticipated; this preference, however, is lost the moment he varies his bid or offer in any way afterward.

ward.
All bids or offers at the Exchange are to be made publicly and audibly, so that every mem-ber may avail himself of them. Any bargain made in the Exchange Room in so low a tone of voice that the presiding officer, or a ma-jority of those present shall decide it to be a private bargain, shall subject both parties to a

Any member who shall, in the Exchange Room, offer to buy or sell future dividends, or wager, or offer to make a wager, shall be fined, at the discretion of the presiding officer, in a sum not less than one dollar nor more than five

Any member who shall execute any order for Any member who shall execute any order for the purchase or sale of stocks for any person known to him to be employed as clerk, or in any other business capacity, by another member, without first obtaining the consent of the employer, shall, for the first offence, be fined \$100, and for the second, suspension at the pleasure of the exchange. Any member guilty of dealing with a person not a member of the exchange, in the Exchange room, shall be fined \$20, without excuse or appeal, and for a repetition of the out excuse or appeal, and for a repetition of the offense shall be suspended for a term not exceeding sixty days. It shall be the duty of any member having a knowledge of the violation of president or the governing committee. Any member, reporting as the dividend of any mo-neyed institution, or stock company, a rate of

neyed institution, or stock company, a rate of per centage which proves erroneous, shall be fined. No fictitious purchase, sale, or contract shall be made at the Exchange, under a penalty of suspension, at the pleasure of the Exchange.

Any member who fails to comply with his contracts, or who becomes insolvent, shall immediately inform the president of the Exchange of the fact, whose duty it shall be to give notice forthwith from the chair of the failure of such of the fact, whose duty it shall be to give notice forthwith from the chair of the failure of such member, and in case of the refusal or neglect of such delinquent to make such report to the president, it shall be the duty of any member having a knowledge of the fact to report the same forthwith to the Governing Committee or the president, who shall thereupon appoint a committee of three members to inquire into the fact and report thereupon without delay, and committee of three members to inquire into the fact and report thereupon without delay; and if said committee report the charge to be true, and the Exchange confirm the report, said member shall be suspended; and it shall furthermore be the duty of the Governing Committee, upon receiving information thereof, or having, directly or indirectly, any knowledge of such tailure on the part of any member to comply with his engagements, as above stated, to report the same without delay to the president, and ask for the appointment of a committee, as before provided. And in case of the insolvency of any member he shall, within three days, make good to the full amount thereof all friendly loans of cash or stocks from members, or any overdraft on any bank. But seven days shall be allowed him in which to settle stock contracts.

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Firms of which one is a member of the Stock Firms of which one is a member of the Stock Exchange, or any individual member of the Stock Exchange, can have a representative at the Exchange, on a salary, by filing a satisfactory obligation with the secretary of the Exchange that the said firm or individual member is responsible for the acts of its or his attorney; and the said attorney on his part pledging himself to do business solely for the firm or individual member of which he is the acknowledged representative. representative.
No securities shall be offered on call in less

sums than \$100, and no offer be permitted under one quarter per cent. unless for sums of \$1,000, and upward.

All applications for placing securities on the sales list shall be made to the governing committee, with a full statement in relation thereto.

A WASHINGTONIAN CHARGED WITH SHOOTING AND KILLING A MAN.—The Leonardtown (Md.) Beacon says that the preliminary examination of the case of the State vs. John Gummiskey, charged with shooting Robert A. Somerville, a colored man, in that county, on the night of the 15th of December, was had before Judge Ford on Monday last, and resulted in admitting the accused to bail in the sum of \$2,000, \$1,000 for self and \$1,000 for sureties. The prisener is a resident of Washington, and at the time of the occurrence was on a visit to his brother, and had charge of the house during the absence of his brother in Washington. At the examination the following testimony was elicited: Somerville, the deceased, with a colored man named Crowly, came to the house, and deceased became noisy, and efforts were made to induce him to leave the house, which he refused to do; deceased still remaining, prisoner told him if he did not go home he would use the law on him in the morning; deceased damned the law and all, and said there were not mea in the house to put him out; prisoner told him he must go out, as the house was in his churge, and he was bound to protect it; deceased cursed him and told him if he did not go up stairs and go to bed he would kill him. The prisoner then started up stairs and was being followed by deceased when the prisoner fired the gun and the deceased fell. He survived about an hour and a half.

A STREET-CAR GROWL.—Editor Star: At the close of the performance at the National Theater on Thursday night, twenty or more Georgetown and West Washington people waited auxiously on the corner of F and 14th streets in the rain for a Metropolitan street car. At length one made its appearance, but the driver shouted "No more cars going to Georgetown." The waiting crowd had to get home as they could. Such disappointments account for the small number who ride when a late car does happen to run.

GEORGETOWE.

A WARNING TO DELINQUENTS.—Mr. John F. Cook, the register of the District, has placed in the hands of Major Richards a list of the insurance agents and representatives of insurance companies doing business in the District who have not yet obtained licenses and made the returns of their receipts required by law. Major Richards has assigned a special officer to the duty of looking after the delinquents. The same course will be pursued towards other business men who have not walked up to the capitain's office to settle.

J. C. Girsow will, we understand, remove to his new store, No. 924 7th street, between I and K streets, Monday, January 5th.

Washington Harkets—The Buling Prices To-day.

MEAT.—Beef (porter house,) 25@30c. P B.; do. (sirioins) 26c.; do. (round), 20c.; do. (roasting pieces), 20@25c.; do. (corned.) 19@355c.; pork, 10%320c; do. (corned.) 8@12%c. mutton. 15a20c.lamb, 15@20c.; veal. 15@20c.; dried beef, 20@25c.; hams (whole), 14@16c.; do., sliced. 20@25c.; shoulder (whole), 10c., cut, 10c.; sliced. 12%c.; iniddings, 11c.; cut, 12 to 14c.; beef tongues 50@20c. each: lard. 10@12%c.

Fish.—Bock. 40@36c. P bunch; perch. 40@36c. P bunch; catfish. 26c. P bunch; lobsters. 15c. P B.; salmon trout, 15c. P B.; pike. 40@35 P bunch; lave white fish. 15@20c. P b. Harge blue nish. 15c. P B. Boston smeit, 20@35 R; fresh cod. 12@15 P B; fresh haddeck. 12@15 P B. Turtle, 75c.@31 each.

GAME.—Ducks, canvass back. \$2 P pair—plentiful; blue wing, \$1 P pair; widgeon, 75c.@31 pair; snise, 25c. each; plower, 25c. each; pheasats, \$2 P pair; quali, \$3 P dz.: wookcok. \$6 Pdozer, rabbits. 20@36c. each; squirrels, 12@15c. each.

Vegerables.—Potatoes. Irish. 40 P peck: sweet. The Death of Col. S. W. Owen. The numerous friends of Col. Samuel W. Owen, one of Washington's best known citizens. will regret to learn that he died of consumption last night, after a long illness, at the Owen House, on Pennsylvania avenue, between 14th and 15th streets, of which house he was the proprietor. He was the son of Edward Owen, and was born on the 13th of January, 1825, in London, England. The family emigrated to this country in 1831, and located in this city, the father embarking in the tailoring business, father embarking in the tailoring business, Samuel, after receiving his education at McLeod's school, on 9th street, learned tailoring with his father, and afterwards became his partner. Their business became quite lucrative, the firm being known as Owen & Son, army and navy tailors. Col. Owen married a daughter of the late Robert Cruit, who survives him, with several children. Col. Owen, in early life, evinced a partiality for military pursuits, and when the President's Mounted Guard was organized some years before the civil war he joined its ranks and filled the position of lieutenant, afterwards becoming captain. When the call was made for volunteers for the defence of the national capital in April, VEGETABLES. -- Potatoes, Irish, 40 P peck; sweet Vegetables.—Potatoes, Irish, 40 % peck; sweet. Soc. % pk; onlone, 60c@30c pk; cabbage, 5@10c % head; beets, 4@5c. % bunch; turnips. 20c. % peck.; carrots. 5c. % bunch; celery, 800c. % bunch. Fruits.—Apples, (eating.) 50@50c. % peck.; do. green, 50c.; lemons, 25@50c. % dozen; chesnuts. 15@20c % quart; cranberries, 16c. % quart; peaches, (peeled), 20@25c. % ib. Butter.—Philadelphia print, 55c. % %. New York creamy, 50c.; choice roll, 40c.; fair do., 50@35c. Eggs. 40c. % dozen. Cheese, 20@25c. % b. Poultry.—Chickens, dressed, \$10@11.00 % pair; Ducks, \$10@1.25 % pair; Turkeys, 22@25c. % b.

THE COURTS.

POLICE COURT, Judge Snell.

To-day, James A. Robinston, cursing and disorderly conduct: \$5—also placed under bonds to keep peace. Mary Martin was sent to workhouse as a vagrant and prostitute. Wm. Lomax and John N. Gray were fined \$5 each for profanity. Henry Galligher torfeited \$5 collateral for disorderly conduct. Wm. and John Thomas forfeited collateral, \$5 each, for disorder. Marshall Brown and Washington Butler forfeited collateral for swearing. Samuel Banks, carry-

shall Brown and Washington Butler forfeited collateral for swearing. Samuel Banks, carrying a pistol and shooting it off in the presence of some colored women; \$20. Charles E. Johnson, a hackman, charged with violating the rules governing the hack-stand at the railroad depot; \$10. Richard Robinson, charged with selling liquor without license at his restaurant on L street; \$150—appeal taken.

A STABLE SMELL.

Marshall Brown, Jacob Solomans and Samuel Lloyd, were charged with maintaining a

Marshall Brown, Jacob Solomans and Samuel Lloyd, were charged with maintaining a nuisance on the northwest corner of 6th and C streets by keeping a filthy stable. Mr. J. F. Kelly, inspector to the Board of Health, testified as to the condition of the premises; that they were filthy; when he was there he sp w fifteen cows and six calves; the building was damp and without drainage; the water from the roof settles inside the premises and the stench is offensive. The resolutions of the Board of Health of May 24th, 1873, declaring these premises to be a nuisance, were offered as evidence. Mr. Reinhart, a resident on 6th street, near by, testified to the bad odor that arises from this stable, which is a source of great annoyance.

ble, which is a source of great annoyance.
Joseph Hamlin, keeper of a saloon on oth
street, testified that the place is a great nuisance,
and that it generally affects the business of the

and that it generally anects the business of the neighborhood. Other witnesses testified to the same effect. Mr. Menken, a tailor, living on Louisiana avenue, testified that "every time one day like de oder was." Dr. Bliss testified that when he was health officer he had frequently

examined these premises, and found them always in a filthy condition. The whole surface of the ground was saturated with foul liquid

matter, and a great nuisance. Dr. Keene, health officer, testified to the same effect as the preceding witness. Mr. Richard Wallach, counsel for Mr. Brown, testified to holding a correspondence with the Board of Health, during which an indulgence was granted the proprietor. Mr. Brown, in making an ander-

proprietor, Mr. Brown, in making an under-ground drainage, until the sewer and other im-provements by the Board of Public Works reached them; this would be done next spring, and he understood the time had been extended.

Judgment was reserved.

Daniel Buchanan, pleaded guilty to stealing \$2 in money, and was fined \$10 and costs. Solo-

mon rague, assault and battery on Mary Jones; \$10 and costs. Manuel Smith, grand larceny of clothing from Mr. Sanborn, a guest at the Na-tional Hotel; sent to jail for action of the grand jury. John Blackstone, resisting Officer Arnold; \$5 and costs. Benjamin Granald and Samuel Diggs, assault and battery on Thomas O'Con-nel in a wanton manner with base ball bats; \$20 each and costs; an anneal was taken by Diggs

each and costs; s.20
each and costs; s. an appeal was taken by Diggs.
Wm. H. Crown, assault and battery on Sarah
Crown, his wife; \$100 bonds to keep the
peace. Charles Thornton, assault; \$5, or 30
days. Irvin Armstrong, do.; \$20 and costs.
Charles Johnson, larcenv of cart number; \$5
and costs, or 30 days in jail. Andrew J. Wood
and Joseph O'Brien, resisting officers; \$20 and
costs each.

GEORGETOWN.

THE WATER has now been drawn from the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, and the extensive repairs contemplated have been commenced. Grorge C. Whiting Lodge of Masons have elected for the ensuing year the following officers: S. N. Thorn, W. M.; Frederick Storcle, S. W.; Samuel Howard, J. W.; John H. Darne, secretary, S. C. Palmer, treasures.

secretary; S. C. Palmer, treasurer.

RIVER NEWS.—The steamer NewYork cleared to-day for Philadelphia, with a miscellaneous

ABRANGEMENTS were made to-day to fire torpedoes at the bottom of the Potomac river, in the vicinity of where Dr. Howard Payne was drowned, in order to bring the body, if possible,

THE MISER OF GREENWOOD LAKE. - Jacol

THE MISER OF GREENWOOD LAKE. — Jacob Hill, a man worth plenty of money and a farm of the best land in Orange county, N. Y., lives in a hole on the eastern side of the mountain, near Greenwood lake, with no companion but a half-starved dog. He owns twelve head of cattle which have no place of shelter, and no food except what they may find in the woods. Last winter Hill starved several cows to death. The prespects are that all his stock will share the same fate this winter. Hill is about forty-five years of age. He has a deep red beard reaching almost to his waist. He boasts that he cannot remember when a comb touched his hair, and that he has not washed for years. The clothes that hang in tatters on his body he has not removed since he put them on five years ago. There is not a button on any of his ragged garments, cords and straps doing their duty. He wears two greasy, napless hats, and the remants of two vests. The hole in which he live is just large enough to accommodate him and his dog. His bed is a collection of rags and straw, spread on flat rock in one corner of the hovel. Underneath the fire-place a hole is dug. in which Hill places his feet to keep them warm when he is home. His dog sleeps with him. The snow and rain has free access through the roof of the hut. It is the wonder of the neighborhood that the miserly occupant has not frozen to death ere this. Hill has well-to-do and re-

that the miserly occupant has not frozen to death ere this. Hill has well-to-do and re-spectable relatives in the county. He has lived in the manner described ever since he was a wouth.

Three women burglars have been arrested in New Orleans.

Hon. John Reagan has returned to Texas

Robert Toembs favors holding a constitutional convention in Georgia.

A petition is in circulation in Bangor, Me., and is receiving the signatures of many business men, remonstrating against the repeal of the bankrupt law.

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the call was made for volunteers for the defence of the national capital in April, 1861, the troop under the command of Captain Owen, enlisted for three months, and served until July, in this District and neighboring counties. Captain Owen, on being mustered out with his command, went to Pennsylvania and aided in the organization of a cavairy regiment, of which he was made lieutenant colonel, and on the death of the colonel the command devolved upon him. His fellow officers urged his promotion, but other influences prevalled, and au officer of the regular army—General Averili—was appointed to the command. Lieutenant Colonel Owen immediately resigned, and returned to of the regular army—General Averili—was appointed to the command. Lieutenant Colonel Owen immediately resigned, and returned to business life, and the upper part of the house in which for years the tailoring business had prospered was fitted up as a hotel under the name of the "Owen House," which became an exceedingly popular place. In 1864 Colonel Owen was elected to the Board of Common Council of Washington as a representative of the Second Ward, and proved himself a good working legislator. His popularity was such that he could have been elected whenever he was so disposed, but after one year's service he peremptorily declined a reelection. After the close of the war Colonel Owen reorganized the President's Mounted Guard, and, having seen it grow to a prosperous organization, resigned. On the formation of the present District government He was appointed quartermaster on the Governor's staff, with the rank of colonel, and was reappointed by Governor Shepherd last fall. Colonel Owen was generous to a fault, was a steadfast friend, had a pleasing address, and was exceedingly popular with all who knew him. The funeral will take place at two o'clock on Monday afternoon from the Foundry (M. E.) church, corner of 14th and G streets, and Rev. H. A. Cleaveland, the pastor, will officiate. The cavalry battallon and the 1st regiment of infantry, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel R. I. Fleming, will form the escort; and Federal Lodge and Columbia Chapter of Masons, of which he was a member, will attend. The remains will be interred at Oak Hill.

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED: EXECUTIVE OFFICE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON, January 3d, 1874. S

General Orders, No. 6.—His Excellency, the Governor, announces with sincere regret, the decease at Washington city, on the 2d instant, of Colonel Samuel W. Owen, of his military

Description of the military staff, at the age of 4s years.

Beginning his military career as an officer of the militia of this District, he was among the first, when in April, 1881, armed hosts assailed the National Government, to enter the service of his country, in command of his old troop, the President's Mounted Guard.

Mustered out of service at the expiration of

Mustered out of service at the expiration of the term of enlistment of his troop, he again entered the field, and, as lieutenant colonel of cavalry, nobly earned the brevet of colonel, conferred upon him by the President for merit and gallantry.
His soldierly qualities are worthy of emula-

tion, and, gained while an officer of volunteer militia, strikingly illustrate the value of a citiand gallant soldier, a trasty, steadfast triend, his loss will be deeply felt by the community amongst whom he passed the most of his life.

The officers of the staff will wear the usual

badge of mourning for thirty days.

By command of the Governor.

A. Webster, Adjutant General D. C. M.
Official:—H. D. COOKE, Jr., A. D. C.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

WASHINGTON, January 3d, 1874.

General Order, No. 7.—The 1st Battalion of
Cavalry and the 1st Regiment of Infantry, are
hereby ordered to attend as an escort at the
funeral of Col. Sam. W. Owen to take place on
Monday, the 5th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., from
Foundry Church. Lt. Col. R. 1. Fleming will
command, and make all necessary arrangements
for the prompt and satisfactory execution of
this order.

By Command of the Governor.

A. Webster, Adjutant General.

Official:—H. D. Cooke, Jr., Aid-de-Camp.

I. O. O. F. OFFICERS ELECTED .- The followfor the term beginning on the 1st instant: Columbian Encampment, No. 1.—Jas. Hughes, C. P.; A. H. Stockman, H. P.; J. I. Hall, S. W; H. P. Carter, J. W.; Wm. R. McLean, S.; J. H. Seiffert, T.

Seiffert, T.

Magenenu, No. 4.—John F. O'Neil, C. P.; H.
Kahlert, H. P.; J. Long, S. W.; G. W. Elam, J.
W.; Wm. P. Allan, S.; J. E. Herrell, T.
Ridgely, No. 5.—John Carroll, C. P.; A. H.
Gawler, H. P.; W. H. Womersley, S. W.; J.
Carroll, J. W.; B. A. Kidder, S.; Geo. Khinehart, T.

Mount Nebo. No. 6 -Robert C. Simonds. P.; H. Burr, H. P.; W. M. Laporte, S. W.; A. H. Jones, J. W.; Thos. W. Fowler, S.; J. T. Given, T.

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Lodges.

Central, No. 1.—R. W. Tucker, N.G.; John G. Robinson, jr., V.G.; R. T. Pumphrey, F.S.; F. B. Lord, jr., R. S.; W. G. Phillips, T.
Washington, No. 6.—L. H. Patterson, N.G.; B. M. Reed, V.G.; John H. Hersey, F.S.; J. H. Bolway, R.S.; Andrew Jackson, T.
Eastern, No. 7.—James Larkin, N.G.; W. H. Whitemore, V.G.; T. S. Tune, F.S.; J. T. Petty, R.S.; Thomas G. Donaldson, T.
Harmony, No. 9.—John F. O'Neil, N.G.; M. Davis, V.G.; H. T. Hicks, F.S.; Wm. P. Ailan, R.S.; W. T. Bright, T.
Columbia, No. 10.—John F. S. Ourand, N.G.; Jas. W. Hughes, V.G.; R. C. Simonds, F.S.; S. John Thomson, B.S.; J. H. Seiffert, T.
Union, No. 11.—Johannes Watson, N.G.; S. H. Ellis, V.G.; W. H. Overby, F.S.; J. Martin Mc-Farland, R.S.; R. Emmone, T.
Friendship, No. 12.—Wm. H. Womersley, N. G.; W. J. Davis, V. G.; D. C. Reinhold, F. S.; P. H. Sweet, R. S.; B. A. Kidder, T.
Covenent, No. 13, (Georgetown.)—S. N. Thorn, N.G.; J. O. Stalling, V. G.; A. D. Smith, F.S.; John H. Darne, R. S.; S. C. Palmer, T. Beacon, No. 15.—B. May, N. G.; E. L. McGraw, V. G.; H. P. Carter, F. S.; L. B. Allyn, R. S.; A. Mulliken, T.
Metropolis, No. 16.—John S. Friel, N. G.; J.

Graw, V. G.; H. P. Carter, F. S.; L. B. Allyn, R. S.; A. Mulliken, T. Metropolis, No. 16.—John S. Friel, N. G.; J. E. Dement, V. G.; H. A. Bales, F. S.; Edward Bawsel, R. S.; D. Moore, T. Excelsior, No. 17.—Martin Arenz. N. G.; O. R. Boteler, V. G.; J. W. Duvall, F. S.; F. G. Dake, R. S.; Walter Ker, T. Mechanics, No. 18, (Georgetown.)—R. H. Green, N.G.; James W. Harry, V.G.; W. Burdett, F.S.; Hugh G. Divine, R.S.; A. C. Prather, T. Oriental, No. 19 .- Charles Schneider, N. G.:

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Oriental, No. 19.—Charles Schneider, N. G.;
Peter Vierbuchen, V. G.; Simon Caro, F. S.;
John Wahl, R. S.; John L. Vogt, T.

Real Estate Transpers.—Sam'l C. Pomeroy et al., to Wm. H. Hunter, lot 5, section 2, of subdivision of Barry farm, \$1,000. John M. Lauxman to Augustus Long, lot 3, square 1050, \$225. S. B. Scaggs to Methodist Episcopal Church South, "for being in consideration of the love I have for the cause of Christ," Xc., a frame house, (Church,) I acre, 2 roods, and 3 perches of land in county. Wm. H. Butler to James Webster, lot 30, square 158, \$500. Eugene Carusi, trustee, to Morris N. Prince, part of lot 5, square 122, \$650. Francis Wheatley et al., trustees, to Charles Wheatley, trustee, lots 80 and 81, square 364, \$3,600. Samuel S. Stone to Hettie A. Morrison, lot 2, square 324, \$5. Thos. C. Connolly to George Brown, part lot 19, block 18, Howard University, subdivision of farm of J. A. Smith, \$375. Henry S. Halley to Henry M. Lincoln, part lot 2, of subdivision of Mrs. Annie C. Livingston's land, county, \$2,000. Francis Wheatley et al., trustees, to Charles Wheatley, trustee, lots 82 and 83, square 364, \$3,400.

RERGEANT ADOLPH LABOLD KNEAS, of the 4th police precinct, died of pneumonia this morning at his residence on Cedar street, between 18th and 19th streets, in the 42d year of his age. The deceased, who had been on the police force for about aix years, was an excellent officer, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He served in the Federal army in the late civil war. On October 8th, 1888, he was appointed a private on the police force and proved so good an officer that on the death of Sergeant Walker he was, on the 20th of April, 1870, promoted sergeant. Notice of funeral hereafter. PERSEANT ADOLPH LABOLD KNEAS, of the

THE MISSIEG MARYLANDER NOT YET HEARD FROM—Was He Murdered?—Captain Messick, of the schooner Rock, from the Eastern Shore of Maryland, who has been missing over two weeks, and who when last seen was at a house of bad repute in the Division, has not been heard from, and the detective force of this city are actively at work in the case. Thomas Street, who went to the house in company with Capt. Messick, was at police head-quarters to-day and identified two of the female inmates.

DECORATIVE PAINTING.—Eisewhere will be found the advertisement of Messrs. Schutter & Rakeman, the well-known decorative painters, who have done some of the fluest work on public and private buildings in the country. They are, moreover, prompt and reliable business men, and we take pleasure in commending them most heartily to our readers who may desire any work in their line.

MISS GREY, OF SANDY GULCH.

"Sandy Guich! You as don't stop here git breakfast." We had determined to stop here, and had kept this spot in view as an objective point during several hundred mile of stage journey. There is something wearisome in six days' continual stage rading—it becomes slightly monotonous in twenty-four hours; cramped up in a corner, unable to lie down or get a good stretch, is a trial to the patience of the ordinary American. American.
We cannot present an active-looking picture

of our fellow travellers to your mind—they were all too stiff and sore, and we might say out of humor. The man who could rest his head anynumor. The man who could rest his head anywhere and sleep was an object of envy and distrust, and a general desire was felt by each
wakeful one to pinch the man driving you mad
with his delicious snores. 'Twas at a time when
our nerves, detached and shaken up, and our
very brains stocking around, we heard the welcome sound, "Sandy Gulch!"

Not a very beautiful name, nor, as we poked
our heads out of the coach window did it look

Not a very beautiful name, nor, as we poked our heads out of the coach window, did it look to be particularly charming. Two hundred or more miners' cabins that seemed to have started from the stage station and got lost in all sorts of places along the guich; odd little boxes of houses perched up on the very top of an immense rock, or nestling close to their messy sides, down by the roaring mountain stream, or far up on the mountain side, as the airy fancy of the rough owner in fee simple dictated.

The "main house" of the gulch was at the "bar," and the bar was at the main house.

The broad stretch of golden sands, washed by the heavy rains from the mountains and deposited near the mouth of the Gulch, gave the place its name. The "Overland" always stopped at the main house, we suppose on account of the bar. The coming of Skaggs, Jim Jones, and Boss Myers was something to Sandy Gulch. They were heavy operators, and the owners of the ponderous machines that were up the Gulch battering away at the silver ore. the Gu'ch battering away at the silver ore. Even the bar-keeper shook hands with all, and said, "What, is if Skaggsy?" But we were un-noticed. We, who had come to edit the Miner's However, found none—no, not one to do us honor. However, having visited strange towns and edited several short-lived dailies before, we were prepared to meet any fate like philosophers.

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There was one passenger we pitted in his ione-liness—not more than four and twenty, slender, delicate, whose face and form indicated the in-tellectual man stripped of his proper attri-butes—who shrank from the rude oaths and butes—who shrank from the rude oaths and boisterous merriment of his fellow-travellers, and who seemed as unfitted for their society as would an angel. We say we felt sorry for him—such sorrow as we sometimes feel for inexperienced fellow travellers on life's journey. It was whispered about that he was a missionary. This opinion became fixed when it was found, after repeated trials, that he would not drink, nor had he been known to swear during the entire trip—something truly wonderful. His place in the coach had had been so far removed frtm Skaggs, Jones & Co. that, much as we desired to make his acquaintance, no opportunity was offered.

He, too, got out at Sandy Gulch, and the greasy register bore the name of Rev. Milton May. May.

We learned that he had but just graduated from one of our leading theological colleges, and had come to look after the spiritual welfare of the "Gulch."

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The "Gulchers," big and little, were to be brought under the sound of Mr. May's voice—that is, if they wanted to. On the first Sabbath ten of them did. But Mr. May, being an enthusiast and an earnest Christian, determined to increase this number; and during the second week climbed shince-boxes, jumped ditches, waded the creak again and again in pushi or waded the creek again and again, in pursuit of little working parties of miners. Nor did he stop with the workers. The lonely, weary man, lying on his bunk, his frame racked with pain, and seeing in feverish agony the approach of a dear wife or mother, was soothed by the pale-

The gaudy room behind the bar was not free The gaudy room behind the par was not free from him, for he entered and invited "Slick Dick," who was dealing fare, to come to the services at the log cabin. Strange as it may seem he came, and the poom was full of those services at the log cabin. Strange as it may seem, he came, and the room was full of those whose ears had not heard one word of these tidings in many, many years. Ah! what may not the influence of one man have on a community? Of course, the latter thought was entirely in

of course, the latter thought was entirely in connection with ourselves.

The Miner's Friend was succeeding; we were able to live and pay off such of our liabilities as were pressing. We were beginning to feel something of the delights of independent journalism. The Territorial printing was ours, and we fondly looked forward to the Postmastership of Sandy Gulch. But there was always more or less fealures or our part for the Rev. Mileon. less jealousy on our part for the Rev. Milton May. He seemed to have made himself im-

May. He seemed to have made himself immehsely popular, and we felt that the quiet, pale-faced man could have beaten us for the Legislature any time.

We had respect for him almost amounting to awe. One night, coming from our office, we were nearly opposite Jack Bowman's, who was lying crushed and dying. The door was ajar, and a light from a tallow dip was softly thrown on the bed and forms. At the bedside, kneeling with face uplifted, and wearing an expression we could not understand, was Mr. May. Through the misty years it comes to us, and we see it with the reverence we saw it then. Some pictures impress themselves so ideeply they are never forgotten, no matter what trials may rasp the mind. Mr. May was successful.

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So much so that it was determined to start a school. Think of it, a school at Sandy Gulch. Well, do you suppose that they did not want a school at the principal town of the territory? Were there no calculations to be made in the great future of the Gulch? Undoubtedly. It must not be thought for one moment that there were no children at Sandy Gulch; indeed, there were more than at any place we had ris-It must not be thought for one moment that there were no children at Sandy Gulch; indeed, there were more than at any place we had visited in the mountains—plenty of women and children—but few wives. Yes, dear reader, it was a sad state in which Mr. May found society, when he came to preach and try, in the name of his Master, to redeem the Gulch. Poor Jack! as he died, blessed his children, and the black-baired, black-eyed woman, who had been a wife, in the eye of the law, but a few hours. True, she loved him all the same, and sat moan ing and rocking herself back and forth as though she would shake the burden fof grief from her shoulders. There were children, there was to be a school, and we were expecting Miss Grey to teach it. Being in the position we were, and occupying a large place in the confidence of Mr. May, he had informed us that his board had determined to send Miss Grey. She was not personally known to us, nor had we ever seen a photograph of the lady. But it was no trouble for us to fancy all she must be, as we will create some form for the person presented to our minds usually. Pretty women don't go to Sandy Guiches to teach, especially young, marriageable ladies; their charms are too great for them to think of hiding from an admiring world entirely for the world's sake. These facts common sense dictated to our minds. So we prepared—as we waited the coming of the mail—for a tall, thin, quadrangular female, with long, thin face, watery, weak eyes, sharp nose, straddled with, perhaps, gold spectacles, irab traveling dress, blue woolen stockings, and list shoes—though we scarcely expected a glimpse of them—a bottle of cold tea in one hand and a blue cotton umbrella in the other. We waited, kicking our toes in the sand, and thinking alternately of sleader for the Weekly and Miss Grey.

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We saw the mail whirling down the grade, and thought with lively satisfaction of our position in the society of Sandy Gulch, that gave us the privilege of welcoming Congressional aspirants, members of the Legislature, and that old school-dame.

As the maid neared us we saw a brown hood with blue lining, and the sweetest face it had ever been our fortune to look upon. The eye so clear and laughing, the fair shiny hair—not dead, but vivacious, smiling hair—a sweet little mouth, whose lips looked the very couch of love, her face soft and round like a child's.

We were absolutely overcome and inactive. The crowd did not try to suppress their joy, but gave a prolonged shout of welcome. "Ain't she a stunner, though!" "Pwettyer than a chunk of pure gold!" "Darned if I ever seed anything so trim!" were some few of the compliments that greeted her, while we stood rooted to the ground. Mr. May had advanced hat in hand, and offered her a word of quiet welcome. We could say nothing. Some commonplace remark filled a moment, and we went to our office to write an article on "Popular Education," and a flattering notice of her arrival. Then we began to think we had been hasty in leaving so soon. This was probably the greatest editorial error we ever made. We did not think how much effect a kind word or quiet act of attention would have, or we too should have carried her bundles to Mrs. Skinner's, where she was to toard. But we did not, and Mr. May did. The summer passed.

And with it each day, to the little school-house up the Gulch, passed Miss Grey. The mountains were glorious in their varied hues of autumn. And Miss Grey was equally lovely in her beauty.

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Why was it our heart beat more rapidly and our tough cheek glowed when she came near?

Why did we feel so backward about coming forward and walking home with Miss Grey, as she came each evening down the little path swinging her sun bonnet by the strings?

He was not backward, but cool and self-possessed. Hr met her and walked where we so much wasted to be—by her side. We discovered that we disliked Mr. May. He was growing absolutely odious to us. We never saw him walking slowly up the Guich toward the school-house that we did not have this feeling.

We came from our walk one evening in the early spring, and saw Mr. May placing bloesoms in her hair, and then—kiss her!

Well, we sigh as we think of it, there in the wild West, so near where the sun set on our love years ago.

People spoke of his goodness, and one red-shirted admirer had sworn in our presence that "he'd die for that 'ere preacher. You ought a seed him, Mister; just ought a seed the way he nursed my pardner when he got cut up at Peter's Battle—him and that school-marm a helpin' him." Aye, we found we disliked him—because he liked her.

We are alone. Rev. Milton May wan "Miss Grey, of Sandy Guich."

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The New York Evening Post of yesterday says: "The year opens with a cheerful feeling in Wall street, and with every indication of an early and full return of the confidence which was lost during the panic." While no special features of note marked yesterday's transactions, the markets were generally buoyant and tions, the markets were generally buoyant and

Washington Stock Exchange.

Quetations furnished by Middleton & Co., bankers.

The following were the prices bid and asked at the meeting of the Washington Stock Exchange to-day:—U. S. gold, 5,0%, 10% bid; 10-40's, M. & S., 113 asked. Bank Stocks—Second National Bank, 110 asked. City Passenger Railroads—Washington and Georgetown stock, 33 bid; Metropolitan stock, 25% bid, 30 asked; Washington and Georgetown stock, 33 bid; Metropolitan stock, 25% bid, 30 asked; Washington and Georgetown bonds, 85 asked; Metropolitan bonds, 82% bid, 83% asked. Sundry List—National Theatre bonds, J. & J. 7 per cent., 85 asked; Masonic Temple bonds, F. & A., 7 per cent., gold 90 bid, 90 asked; Great Falls Ice Co, 86% asked. District Securities—Washington city 6 per cent. quarterly stock, 80% asked; Georgetown 6 per cent. quarterly stock, 78 asked; Washington city (Bowen) J. & J., 6 per cent. 94 asked; 7.3-10 (Emery) 5 year, M. & N., 85 bid, 85 asked; 7 per cent. cer's, general improvement, J. & J., 1 year, 81 bid, 81% asked; do. 2 year, 73 asked, do. 5 year, 81 bid, 67 asked; do. 2 year, 73 asked, do. 5 year, 63 bid, 67 asked; do. 3 year, 63 bid, 65% asked; do. 4 year, 61% bid, 65% asked; do. 5 year, 63 bid, 65% asked; do. 4 year, 61% bid, 65% asked; do. 7 year, 65 bid; 65% asked; do. 4 year, 61% bid, 65% asked; do. 5 year, 61% bid; do., series, 65% bid. Board of Public Works—8 per cent. Cer's, water, 4 year, 85 bid, 87 asked. District market-house bonds, 80 asked. Washington Stock Exchange.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 3. -V rimons, Jan. 3.—Virginia sixes, coupous, old, est Virginia's, 10; Virginia's, consolidated, 50

bid to day.

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FRANKFORT, Jan. 3.—Bonds, 974

WAR DEPARIMENT, Office of Caref Signal Officer, and WARRINGTON, D. C., January 3, 1874, 1979 a. m. S. Synopsis for the past I wenty four a hours,—The area of low barometer which was in the upper Missis ppi valley, and the pressure has diminished from this region eastward to the Atlan ic coast, with cloudy and threatening weather in the northwest and thence eastward over the Ohio valley and lake region. The Darometer continues high on the Atlantic coast, with light variable winds and fog. Clear or fair weather, with increased humidity and a slight fall of temperature, is reported from the gulf states. The temperature has risen decidedly in the lower Missouri valley and thence eastward over the central Mississippi valley and the lake region, and the Ohio valley, and it continues above freezing in all the districts except in northern Minnetota.

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Promabilities—For New England and the middle states, the temperature will rise slightly during the day, with light variable winds and clear weather, followed by winds shifting to southerly and cas crly, with cloudy and threatening weather by Sunday. For the lake region, continued high temperature, with brisk southerly winds and light rain, followed by colder weather, with increasing pressure and northwesterly to southwesterly winds in the upper lake region en Sunday. For the northwest, generally cloudy weather and probably light rain in the Mississippi valley, and show in Minnesota and Wisconsin. For the southern states east of the Mississippi, partly cloudy and fair weather in the interior, and possibly areas of rain on the immediate coast, with rising temperature and light to gentle winds. For the states north of the Ohio valley, partly cloudy weather, followed by rain during Saturday afternoon or evening, the temperature in this region changing but slightly, with fresh to brisk southerly to southwesterly winds.

CITY ITEMS.

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courage and energy; but enrich the blood with its vital element, Iron, by taking the Peruvian Syrup (a protoxide of iron) and you will feel rich and "as good as anybody." Try it. 6

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GEORGETOWN ADVERTISEMENTS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stock-holders of the GEORGETOWN MASONIO BALL ASSOCIATION, D. C., will be held on TUESDAY, January, 6th, at 7 o'clock n.m., for the clection of nine directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may lecally come before it. Persons holding certificates of the old Board of Trustees are requested to present them to the undersigned, and each angethem for stock of the Corporation.

Jan. 3.5. ISAIAH L. PARKHURST, Sec.

EVERYBODY BEAD. LEPORTANT NOTICE: Having on hand grumber of articles forfeited according to terms on checks issued, and for which I am no longer responsible, notice is hereby given, that unless said articles are called for and charges paid on the same, on or before FRIDAY, January 9th, they will be soid at public anction, at the Auction Store of THOMAS DOWLING, No. 174 Bridge street, at 10 o'clock, am. The articles consists in part of Gentzetown, D. C., on SATURDAY, January 10th, at 10 o'clock, am. The articles consists in part of Gentzetown, D. C., and S. S. Sawies, Sacques, Cloars, Bibbons, and other articles too numerous to mention.

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Sol, follo 67. &c., I will sell at public sale, on the premiser, TUESDAY, January 13, 1874, at 4 o'clock p. m., all that portion of the following lots of sround left siter condemnation of part of them for the use of West street, to wit. Nos 13, 14, 15, 15, 17, 18, 19 and 20, the whole, before said condemnation of the cast town line of Georgetown and the south line of West street, to wit. Nos 13, 14, 15, 15, 17, 18, 19 and 20, the whole, before said condemnation, being described as follows: Beginning at a point 450 feet essterly from the point of intersection of the cast town line of Georgetown and the south line of West street on a line drawn through such point of intersection N. 73 deg. 10 min E.; thence with this line N. 73 deg. 10 min E.; thence with this line N. 73 deg. 10 min E.; thence with this line N. 73 deg. 10 min E.; thence with this line N. 73 deg. 10 min E.; thence with this line N. 73 deg. 10 min E.; thence S. 15 deg. 30 min. E. 65 feet 1 inch.; thence S. 73 deg 10 mins. W. 199 feet 6 inches; and thence to the point of beginning at a point on the south line if West street 108 feet from the northeast corner of lot 20, the most casterly of the lots above described, and running thence with said West street S. Si4 deg. E. 66 feet; thence S. Si4 deg. N. 85 feet; thence S. Si4 deg. N. 60 feet, and thence to the point of beginning.

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On the Petition of SELDER A, BAILEY, of
Woombocket, Bhode Island, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him on the 27th day of
March, 1860, for an improvement in Wringing Machines:

chines;
It is ordered that the testimony in the case be closed on the 24th day of February next; that the time for filing arguments and the Examiner's report be limited to the 6th day of March next, and that said petition be heard on the lith day of March next.

Any person may oppose this extension.

IN BANKBUPTOY.

District of Columbia, ss:

At Washington City, the 13th day of December.

A. D. 1873, the undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of LITCHFIELD & AUGHERTON, who have been adjudged bankrupt upon their own petition, by the Supreme Court of said District.

GEO. MASON, Attorney at-Law, deci3-s.3.

633-7 street, Assignee. decis-s.t 632-f streney-at-Law, decis-s.t 632-f streney-at-Law, decis-s.t 632-f streney-at-Law, and decision for the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding a special term, letters of administration on the personal estate of ROBERT W. ADDIEs, iste of Washington city. D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 25th day of Rovember next: they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 25th day of Rovember, 1873.

JOHN PATCE, Administratror, decf-s.2: 687 Pennsylvania avenue.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the ber has obtained from the Supreme (the District of Columbia, holding a special columbia of the property of th

dect-s. W. B. WEBS, Administrator.

THE SUPREME COUST OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. HOLDING A DISTRICT COUST OF THE CHITED STATES FOR THE SAID DISTRICT.

To all whom at may concern, treatmer.

Notice is hereby given, that on the lith day of December, 1872, four hundred and thirty toos Bias Stone were seized by the United States Farshal for said District, seized and brought into this court for said District, seized and brought into this court for said District, seized and brought into this court for said District, seized and brought into this court for said District, seized and brought into this court for said District, seized and brought into this court for said District, seized and brought into this court for said District, seized and brought into this court, in the name of A. J. OOL-LIES, for condemnation, and have been arrested by the Marshal for the reasons in the libel dated; and that said cause will stand for trial at the City Hall, in the city of Washington, on the First Howard of January next, when and where all persons are warned to show cause why condemnation should not be decread, and to intervence for their interests.

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